

ROYAL

The Absolutely Pure Baking Powder

Made of Cream of Tartar, and Free From Alum or Phosphatic Acid

Royal Baking Powder renders bread, biscuit, cake and all flour foods finer and more healthful.

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Baking powders made from alum, phosphates and other harsh, caustic acids are lower in price, but they are injurious to the stomach.

"The injurious effect of alum on the mucous coat of the stomach is positive and beyond dispute; it is both an irritant and an astringent. The use of alum in any article of food or article used in the preparation of food should be prohibited."

JOHN C. WISE, M.D., Medical Inspector, U. S. Navy.

PORTLAND MARKETS

Latest Quotations in the Portland Markets.

Complete Market Reports Corrected Each Day Giving the Wholesale Prices of Commodities, Farm Produce and Vegetables.

Portland, Dec. 8.—Fancy creamery butter is firm; current quotations, as the supply of fresh cream continues to diminish daily. Pastures are not so well stocked with grass on account of early weather.

Butter prices are not expected to advance, according to local creamery men. Butter is already quite high for Portland, and should scarcity of cream cause an advance in the price of fancy creamery, there would be an opening for butter to come in from California and other points where quotations would be lower than here. Already a great deal of Eastern cold storage is on the market at 25c per pound, and this has a tendency to weaken the price of the local product. If present prices can be maintained all winter they will probably be satisfactory to dairy men and creameries.

Gold medal matches have advanced 10 cents per case and are quoted at \$1.75.

Fresh fish of all kinds is reported to be plentiful at current quotations.

A few hop sales are reported at 9c 10c for prime to choice.

San Francisco wheat buyers are still holding off, awaiting further orders.

Grain, Produce, Feed.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 74¢75¢; valley, 74¢75¢; bluestem, 76¢77¢; red, 69¢70¢.

Oats—White, 82¢; gray, 82¢.

Barley—Brewing, \$22.00; feed, \$21.50; rolled, \$22.

Hay—Timothy, \$12.50@13; clover, \$8.50@9.00; cheat, \$7.50@8.00; alfalfa, \$10.

Millstuffs—Middlings, \$24@25; chop, \$19.00; bran, \$19@20.00; shorts, \$21@22.

Flour—Hard wheat patent, 4.35; straight, \$3@4.00; graham, \$3.75; rye, 10c; kegs, cwt., 25c; boxes, cwt., 50c ad.

\$5.00; whole wheat flour, \$4.00; valley flour, \$3.65@3.90; Dakota, \$6.50@7.25; Eastern rye, \$5.40; Pillsbury, \$6.30@7.15; Corvallis, \$3.70.

Corn—Whole, \$28.00; cracked, \$29.00 per ton.

Rye—\$1.50 per cwt.

Produce.

Butter—Fancy creamery 25¢27¢; city creamery, 27¢30¢; dairy, 10¢11¢; store, 14¢15¢; Eastern creamery, 25¢.

Cheese—Young America, 15¢16¢; Oregon full cream 14¢.

Eggs—Fresh Oregon ranch, 32¢35¢; Eastern eggs, 25¢27¢.

Poultry—Old roosters, 8¢9¢; hens, 10¢11¢; springs, 10¢11¢; broilers, 10¢11¢; geese live, 8¢9¢; dressed, 10¢11¢; turkeys, live, 17¢18¢; dressed, 20¢21¢; ducks, old, 11¢12¢; spring ducks, 16¢; pigeons, per dozen, \$1.00@1.25; squabs, \$2.00@2.50.

Honey—Dark, 10¢11¢; amber, 12¢13¢; fancy white, 14¢15¢.

Fruits and Vegetables.

California grapes—\$1.25@1.50.

Malaga grapes—\$0.90 per bbl.

Apples—Green, 75¢@81.75.

Pears—\$1.25@1.50 a box.

Grape fruit—\$2.50@3.00 crate.

Huckleberries—7¢ per lb.

Cranberries—\$12.50 per barrel.

Tropical fruits—Lemons, fancy, \$4.50; choice, \$4.00 per box; oranges, \$2.50@3.00; bananas, 5¢ per lb; pineapples, \$3.50@4.50 per doz.

Potatoes—Per sack, 65¢75¢; car lots, country; jobbers' prices, 75¢85¢; per 100 lbs., turnips 75¢90¢ sacks; cabbages, per pound, 1¢12¢; celery, dozen, 75¢85¢; onions, \$1.05@1.10, in country, jobbers' prices, \$1.20@1.30; cucumbers, box, 50¢; beets \$1 per sack; carrots 75¢; per sack; garlic, 10¢; egg plant, 15¢ per pound; sweet potatoes, 2¢24¢; red peppers, 20¢ pound; hothouse lettuce, 35¢ dozen. California vegetables—Green beans, 10¢ pound; green peas, 10¢; sprouts, 8¢; radishes, 25¢ dozen bunches; Chile peppers, \$1.25 box; tomatoes, \$1.25 box; head lettuce, 25¢ doz.; artichokes, 75¢ doz.

Groceries, Provisions, Etc.

Sugar, sack basis—Golden C, \$4.95; extra C, \$5.05; powdered, \$5.65; patent cube \$5.80; cane, D. G., \$5.55; fruit sugar, \$5.55; beet sugar, \$5.45; barrels, cwt., 10c; kegs, cwt., 25c; boxes, cwt., 50c ad.

Provisions—Hams, to size, 13c; hams, picnic, 9c; bacon, regular, 12c; bacon, breakfast, 13¢19¢; dry salt sides, 11c; backs, dry salt, 11c.

Nuts—Walnuts, No. 1 soft shell, 15¢; No. 1, hard shell, 15¢; Chile, 13¢; almonds, 17¢; filberts, 14¢15¢; Brazils, 14¢; pecans, 13¢15¢; hickory, 8¢; Virginia peanuts, 7¢7½¢; Jumbo Virginia peanuts, 9¢; Japanese peanuts, 5¢6¢; chestnuts, Italian, 14¢; coconuts, dozen, 75¢80¢; new almonds, 10¢17¢.

Figs—White, lb, 5 1-2¢6¢; black, 6¢7¢.

White, 3 1-2¢; pink, 3¢; bayou, 4 3-4¢; Beans—Small white, 4 1-4¢; large Limas, 7¢; Mexican, red, 9¢.

Pickled goods—Pickled pigs' feet, 1-2 barrels, \$5.00; 1-4 barrels, \$2.75; 15-lb. kits, \$1.25; pickled tripe, 1-2 barrels, \$5.00; 1-4 barrels, \$2.75; 15-lb. kits, \$1.25; pickled pigs' tongues, 1-2 barrels, \$6.00; 1-4 barrels, \$3.00; 15-lb. kits, \$1.50; pickled lambs' tongues, 1-2 barrels, \$6.00; 1-4 barrels, \$3.50; 15-lb. kits, \$2.75.

Coffee—Mocha, 24¢28¢; Java, fancy, 26¢32¢; Java, good, 20¢24¢; Java, ordinary, 17¢20¢; Costa Rica, fancy, 18¢20¢; Costa Rica, good, 14¢18¢; Arabica, 16¢ per lb.; Lion, 16¢ per lb.; Columbia coffee, 13 1-4¢; Salvador, 11¢15¢.

Lard—Kettle-rendered: Tierces, 11¢; tubs, 11 1-4¢; 50s, 11 1-4¢; 20s, 11 3-8¢; 10s, 11 3-4¢; 5s, 11 7-8¢; Standard pure: Tierces, 10¢; tubs, 10 1-4¢; 50s, 10 1-4¢; 20s, 10 3-8¢; 10s, 10 3-4¢; 5s, 10 1-4¢; 5s, 9c. Compound: Tierces, 7¢; tubs, 7 1-4¢; 50s, 6 3-4¢; 10s, 7 1-4¢; 5s, 7 3-4¢.

Sausage—Portland nam, 13 1-2¢ per lb.; minced ham, 10¢; summer, choice dry, 17 1-2¢; bologna, long, 5 1-2¢; wiener, 8¢; liver, 5¢; pork, 9¢; blood, 5¢; headcheese, 12 1-2¢; bologna sausage, link, 4 1-2¢.

Raisins—Loose Muscatels, 3-crown, 7 1-2¢; 2-crown, 6 1-2¢; bleached seed less Sultanias, 7¢12¢; unbleached seedless Sultanias, 6 3-4¢; London layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 20 lbs., \$1.85; 2-crown, 1.75.

Dried Fruit—Apples, evaporated, 9¢ per lb.; sundried, sacks or boxes, none; apricots 11¢12¢; peaches, 10¢11¢; pears, 10¢12 1-2¢; prunes, Italian, 6¢ 6 1-2¢; French, 3 1-2¢; figs, Cal. blacks, 5 3-4¢; do, white, none; Smyrna, 20¢; Fard dates, 6¢; plums, pitted, 6¢.

Cereal foods—Rolled oats, cream, 90-lb. sacks, \$6.75; lower grade, \$5.00@6.25; oatmeal, steel cut, 50-lb. sacks, \$8 per bale; 10-lb. sacks, \$4.25 per bale; oatmeal (ground), 50-lb. sacks, \$7.50 per bale; 10-lb. sacks, \$4.00 per bale; split peas, \$4.00 per 100-lb. sack; 25-lb. boxes, \$1.15; pearl barley, \$4.25 per 100 lbs.; 25-lb. boxes, \$1.25 per box; pastry flour, 10-lb. sacks, \$2.50 per bale.

Canned salmon—Columbia river, 1-lb. tins, \$1.85; 2-lb. tins, \$2.50; fancy 1-lb. flats, \$2.00; 1-2-lb. fancy flats, \$1.25; fancy 1-lb. ovals, \$2.75; Alaska tins, pink, 90¢; red \$1.45; nominal, 2s, tall, \$2.00.

Mason fruit jars—Half-gallons, per gross, \$1.00; quarts, \$7.50; pints, \$6.55; extra caps, per gross, \$2.35.

Economy fruit jars—Half-gallons, per gross, \$1.35; quarts, \$10.00; pints, \$8.85; extra caps, \$1.85.

Everlasting fruit jars—Half-gallons, \$12.50; quarts, \$8.50; pints, \$7.50; extra caps, glass, \$2.50.

Fresh Meats and Fish.

Fresh meats—Veal, small, 7¢7½¢; large, 3½¢3¢; pork, 6½¢7¢; beef, bulls, 1 1-2¢2¢; cows, 3¢4¢; steers, 4 1-2¢3 1-2¢; mutton, 7¢7 1-2¢; lambs, 7 1-2¢8¢.

Oysters—Shoalwater bay, per gallon, \$2.25; per sack, \$3.75 net; Olympia, per sack, \$6.25; Eastern transplanted, \$1.60 per 100 lbs.

Clams—Hardshell, per box, \$2.00; razor clams, \$2.00 per box.

Fish—Crabs, per dozen, \$1.50; Shoalwater bay oysters, per sack \$4.00, gallon, \$2.25; halibut, 6¢; black 6¢; bass, per lb, 12 1-2¢; herring, 5¢; Goujons, 6¢; catfish, 8¢; lobsters, per lb, 12 1-2¢; silver smelt, 6¢; shrimp, 10¢; perch, 5¢; sturgeon, 8¢; silverside, 6¢; sea trout, 12 1-2¢; black bass, 20¢25¢; Yaquina chinook salmon, 6¢.

Grain bags—Calcutta and domestic, 7 1-2¢.

Wool—Valley, 20¢27 1-2¢; Eastern Oregon, 18¢20¢.

Tallow—Prime, per lb, 3¢3 3-4¢; No. 2 and grease, 2¢2 1-2¢.

vance over sack basis, less 1c lb. if paid for in 15 days.

Salt—Bales of 75-lbs, bale, \$1.60; bales of 60-lbs, bale, \$1.60; bales of 40-lbs, bales, \$1.60; bales of 15-lbs, bale, \$1.60; bags, 50s, fine, ton, \$11.00; bags, 50 lbs., genuine Liverpool, ton, \$17.00; bags, 50 lbs., 1 ground, 100s, ton, \$7.00; R. S. V. P., 20 5 lb. cartons, \$2.25; R. S. V. P., 24 3-lb. cartons, \$1.75; Liverpool lump, ton, \$18.50.

Rice—Imperial Japan, No. 1, \$5.95; Southern, Japan, 5½¢; broken, 4½¢; head, fancy, 7¢; head, choice, 6½¢.

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Coal oil—Pearl and astral oil, cases, 20¢ per gallon; waer white oil, iron barrels, 15¢; wood barrels, 17¢; eocene oil, cases, 24¢; elaine oil, cases, 27¢; extra star, cases, 23¢; iron barrels, 17¢.

Washington state test burning oils, except headlight, 3¢ per gallon higher.

Benzine—Sixty-three degrees, cases, 22¢; iron barrels, 17¢.

Turpentine—In cases, 92¢; in wood barrels, 89¢; in iron barrels, 86¢; in 10-case lots, 91¢.

Lined oil—Boiled: In barrels, 53¢; cases, 62¢. Raw: In barrels, 52¢; in cases, 58¢ gallon.

Gasoline—Stove gasoline, cases 24¢; iron barrels, 18¢; 80 degrees gasoline, cases, 32¢; iron barrels or drums, 26¢.

Rope—Pure Manila, 14¢; standard, 13¢; Sisal, 11¢; Isle brand Sisal, 9¢.

Wire nails—Present base at \$2.70.

Lead—Strictly pure white lead and red lead, in ton lots 73¢; 500-lb. lots, 81¢; less than 500 lbs., 83¢.

A Fearful Fate.

It is a fearful fate to have to endure the terrible torture of Piles. "I can truthfully say," writes Harry Colson, of Masonville, Ia., "that for Blind, Bleeding, Itching and Protruding Piles, Bucklen's Arnica Salve, is the best cure made." Also best for cuts, burns and injuries. 25¢ at Charles Rogers, druggist.

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